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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

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In response to the Office Action mailed December 20, 2006, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, the Applicant submits the present amendment and response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111.

Claims 7, 8, 12, 14 – 17, 19, 31, 32, 38, 44, 47, 49, and 56 have been amended. Claims 1 – 6, 11, 18, 20 – 30, 45, 46, 48, 50 – 55 have been canceled. The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.